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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of the Inventor(s), Ramesh Keshavaraj, for the invention entitled: AIR BAG TETHER SYSTEM COMPRISING MULTIPLE SEGMENTS CUT IN ALIGNMENT WITH FABRIC WARP OR FILL.

1. Enclosed are 4 sheet(s) of formal drawings.

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